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ORDER RETURNING UNDOCKETED APPEAL TO EXAMINER

This application was received electronically at the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences on September 22, 2008. A review of the application has revealed that the application is not ready for docketing as an appeal.

Accordingly, the application is herewith being returned to the examiner. The matters requiring attention prior to docketing are identified below.

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The following reference listed under the Evidence Relied Upon section of

the Examiner's Answer filed January 22, 2008, is missing from the IFW file.

"TCP-Like Congestion Control for Layered Multicast Data Transfer"

by Vicisano et al.

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the application is returned to the Examiner to have the

reference listed above scanned into the record, and for such further action as

may be appropriate.

If there are any questions pertaining to this Order, please contact the

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